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E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: PINS

SUBJECT: ABDUCTION OF US ARMY OFFICER IN BEIRUT

1. SUPPLEMENT TO SITUATION REPORT NO. 8, LEBANESE TASK  
FORCE.

2. IT IS ALSO UNCLEAR FROM THE COMMUNIQUE WHETHER THE  
PFLP/GC IS STILL HOLDING COL. MORGAN. CLANDESTINE ISRAELI  
SOURCES REPORT AS OF JULY 9 COL. MORGAN WAS STILL IN THE  
HANDS OF THE PFLP/GC AND BELIEVED TO BE IN BEIRUT.

WARNING NOTICE: SENSITIVE SOURCES AND METHODS INVOLVED. INGERSOLL

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